Key Klicks

The Green Bay Mike and Key Club Inc.
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August 1995

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Meeting Minutes

July 13,1995

1. The meeting of the Green Bay Mike and Key Club for July was called to order by the President, KE9AS, at 7:32 p.m.

2. A roll call reflected 17 members and 1 guest present.

3. The secretary was absent and a motion was made to suspense with the secretary's report. Motion Carried.

4. Treasurers report was given by Jake, N9DKH. The report reflected a balance at the end of June of $1,442.34.

5. John, KE9AS, reported that plates were made and added to the Silent Key Plaque for W9LID, Larry Robbins, and WD9EKU, Frank Fournier . The Silent Key plaque is displayed in a prominent place in the club room.

6. Virgil, WB9MHS, spoke to the club on the up-comming Mountain Duathalon at the YMCA camp near Anderson Lake north of Suring. He requested participation and volunteers to help out on Saturday, July 24th.

7. John, KE9AS, and Jake, N9DKH, gave the club an update on the work being done on the Repeaters. WB9MFB, Ron Shimek, assisted us with checking the antennas and transmission lines on July 2nd. It was found that the old receive line that is not being used has a termination at approximately 335 feet. It is either kinked or chopped in half. The antenna and coax that we are using, and the transmission line is in excellent shape. The antenna was found not to be resonant at either of the xmit or recieve frequencies. It was found to resonate at every 1.4 meg frequency across the entire band. The 440 system was checked and there are problems with that antenna also. It is expected that these problems will be repaired yet this summer. An antenna crew is expected in the area very soon and we will contact them for the work to be done to correct our problems.

8. A motion was made to donate the old controller from the old 440 repeater to Earl, KB9DSV, for use on his 220 mhz repeater. This controller has been sitting idle since the club updated our controllers. In return for the donation, club members will have use of the the 220 mhz repeater and any functions that he adds to the system. Motion carried.

9. John, KE9AS, reported that correspondence was received from Larry Seibers, KD9IA, regarding a special fox hunt in Appleton in September. A notice will be posted in the news letter.

10. Randy, N9GDW, reported that he is still looking for volunteers for the bike race in DePere on Sunday, July 30th.

11. Lisa, N9VJL reported that the Hiram Percy Maxim birthday celebration will be held September 2-10, 1995. ARRL appointed position members may sign their call during this period with a special suffix designating their appointed position. More information is available in the July QST.

12. KE4NTH, was welcomed as a guest. Originally from Allouez, John has relocated back again to the area. When you hear him give him a big welcome back.

13. Meeting adjourned at 8:17 p.m.

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ADOPT-A-HIGHWAY

At a meeting last year the members of the club decided to request to adopt a portion of highway in the area for clean-up as a community service. We have received notification from the Wisconsin D.O.T. that our request for a Highway sector has been approved. The sector is the 2 miles south of CTH "U" on the Northbound side of U.S. 41. Approximately from CTH JJ to the Brown County line. A video will be shown at the next meeting on safety and a clean-up date has been scheduled for August 12th, at 8:00 a.m., with a rain date of August 19th. We will be able to utilize the State Weigh Station for parking and rest facilities during the clean-up. It is expected that we can complete the clean-up in less than 2 hours. Volunteers will be needed, and although it is advisable to view the safety video, those that cannot attend the meeting will

be more than welcome. The more hands we have the easier the work. A notice will be posted on the 147.12 Repeater. The official sign designating our club as the highway sector sponsor is in at the sign shop and will be erected shortly. Look for it on your way north on U.S. 41.

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Special Fox Hunt

Date: September 30, 1995
Time: 1:00 p.m.
Place: Madison Jr. High School Appleton Wi
Objective: Find the Fox with the least amount of mileage on your vehicle.

Rules:

1. Fox hunters meet at Madison Jr. High School, before 1:00 p.m. Mileage will be recorded by officials of the hunt.
2. You may have your equipment ready and set up. Hunters will be sent out at 5 minute intervals.
3. The winner of the hunt will be the hunter who finds the fox with the least amount of miles recorded.
4. In case of a tie on mileage, the winner will be the one with the least amount of time.
5. There will be an offical and a place to park next to the fox. The officer will record your mileage.
6. There will be a two hour time limit.
7. Afterwards there will be a brat fry sponsored by WB9BBI and KC9IA.

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Area Nets

Sun.	Outagamie Area Net	146.650	8:00p
	10 Meter Novice Net	28.400	8:30p
Mon.	Brown Cty ARES Net	147.360	7:00p
	Shawano ARES Net	145.350	8:00p
Tues.	NEW Radio League	147.270	7:30p
Wen.	Mike & Key Club Net	147.120	8:45p
2nd Wed.	Brown Cty Siren Net	147.120	11:50a
Thurs.	Youth Net	147.075	6:30p

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Siren Test Net

August 9th

The Brown County office of Emergency Government "Siren Test Net" is held on the 2nd Wednesday of each month at 11:50 AM. The purpose of this net is to test/evaluate the active and inactive status of each of the 36 sirens located in various areas of Brown county. When checking into the NET, if possible, give the site number.

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Fox Hunt Dates

Sunday August 6th 7pm 147.555 simplex
Tuesday August 15th 7pm 147.555 simplex

Club Meeting

The next meeting of the Green Bay Mike and Key Club (2nd Thursday of each month), will be held on August 10th, 1995 at 7:30 p.m.,- in the Media Services area of the J.M. Science building (room 223) at St. Norberts College. GUESTS ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND

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Ham of the Year/Awards

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Special Event

Bob Tiroletto, WB1ENL #52404, will operate a Special Event Station from August to December1995, to commemorate the 25th anniversary of the 90th Attack Squadron, known as the "Pair-O-Dice". The anniversary is the leaving BIEN HOA AFB, South Vietnam during October 1970.Look for Bob(WB1ENL #52404) on 28.470 MHz. For a certificate send your QSL card and #10 SASE to Bob Tiroletto, WB1ENL #52404, 35 Sentinel Hill Road, North Haven, CT 06473-1526.

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August 26 Wauwatosa
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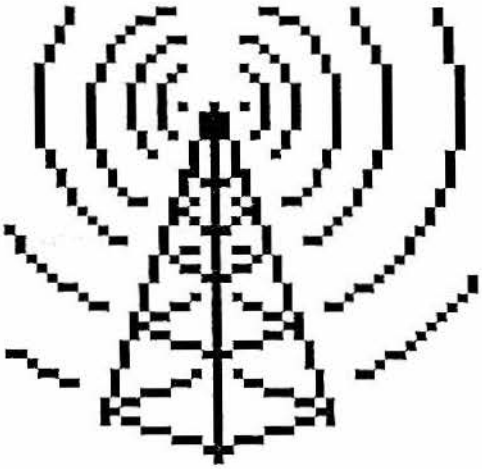

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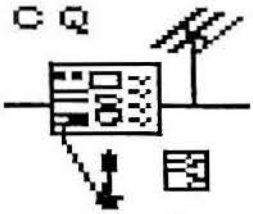

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Chairperson:
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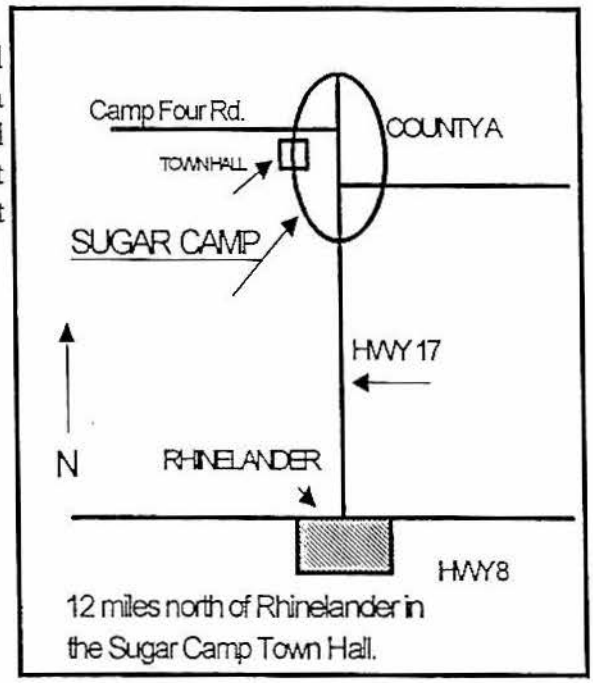

GREEN BAY MIKE & KEY CLUB

AUGUST

1995

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 NEW Radio League Net 147.270 7:30	2 Mike & Key Net 147.120 8:45pm	3 Youth Net 6:30 147.075	4	5
6 Fox Hunt 7:00 pm 147.555 simplex Novice Net 28.400 8:30p KB9IOP	7 Brown Cty ARES Net 7:00 pm 147.36 Shawano ARES Net 145.35 8:00p	8 NEW Net	9 Mike & Key Net Siren Net WA9A	10 Club Meeting Youth Net	11	12 HIGHWAY CLEAN UP Hamfest Rhinelander N9FZL
13 Novice Net	14 ARES Net Shawano Net	15 Fox Hunt 7:00 pm 147.555 simplex NEW Net N9OZF	16 Mike & Key Net N9SDX	17 Youth Net	18 WL7MO	19 RAIN DATE HIGHWAY CLEAN UP
20 Novice Net	21 ARES Net Shawano Net	22 NEW Net	23 Mike & Key Net W9VOW	24 Youth Net N9VUR	25 N9UGM	26
27 Novice Net	28 ARES Net Shawano Net	29 NEW Net	30 Mike & Key Net	31 Youth Net		

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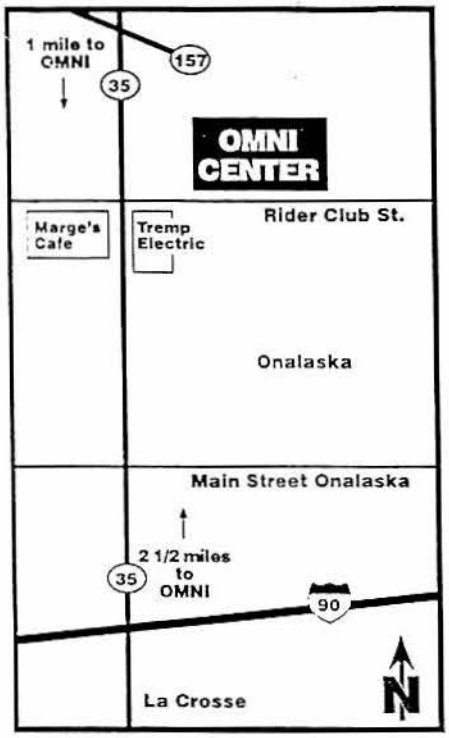

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September VHF QSO Party

The contest will begin at 1800 UTC Saturday, Sept 9th and ends at 0300 UTC Monday, Sept 11, 1995. The object is to work as many stations in as many different grid squares as possible using authorized frequencies above 50 MHz. Retransmitting either or both stations, or use of repeater frequencies, is not permitted. Contest entrants may not transmit on repeaters or repeater frequencies on 2 meters for the purpose of soliciting contacts. Complete rules can be found in the August issue of QST or are available from ARRL Headquarters.

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New Call Signs

The FCC will begin assigning AL, KL, and WL prefixes followed by ANY NUMBER from 0 thru 9 for ALASKAN amateurs. THere will be an exception for call from US Personnel in Korea (KL9KAA thru KL9KHZ). Hawaii: AH7, KH7, NH7 and WH7 will be used for Hawaii. The same prefexixes with a 'K' following the number will be assigned to Kure Isl. CARIBBEAN: KP3, NP3 and WP3 (or 4) will indicate PUERTO RICO except Desecheo Isl.

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10 Meters is Dead????

Just when you think 10 Meters is dead it opens up. The net Sunday nite July 23rd started out slow, but then some DX stations came in. We had check ins from N5WWA in Arkansas, N5ZQB in Texas, KE4OEM from Kansas, KB5UKT in Kentucky, and finally K5MRU in Colorado. It helped me a little with my states. I still have a long way to go for WAS on 10 Meters. But it just shows that you can never tell when it will open up. If you have never checked into the Novice Net on Sunday nites give it a try, you may be surprised at who else checks in.....

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Special Event Coordinator

The club is looking for a Special Event Coordinator. Dale WB9NRK, who has been doing the job for a number of years is stepping down. The person accepting this position would be meeting with the various special event committees we help out with, such as March of Dimes, etc and help plan out our involvement and recruit volunteers. If you would like to volunteer please see Dale WB9NRK or contact one of the Board members.

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Doppler Update

The Doppler Radar System was formally commissioned on July 26th 1995. The new Doppler Radar System will replace the old Neenah Radar System dating back to 1957. This system will provide NE Wisconsin with much more accurate weather forcasting capabilities. The old Neenah Radar will be decommissioned in a couple of weeks. Our own Lisa N9VJL was invited to the ceremonies at the National Weather Service.

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New Repeaters

Ashland	51.25
	147.75
	447.35
Eau Claire	222.80
Cleveland	449.55
Luxemburg	448.70
Germantown	449.525
New Richmond	144.67
	449.975
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New Calls

As of June 1 the most recent calls for our area are:

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